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RESOLUTION NO. 199

**RESOLUTION FOR ADOPTING A BUDGET FOR THE
TOWN OF STEVENSVILLE**

FISCAL YEAR 2003-2004

WHEREAS, pursuant to Sections 7-6-4266, MCA, the Town Council of the Town of Stevensville, Montana has held public hearings on the proposed budget of Stevensville for the fiscal year 2003-2004 as required by law; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Municipal Budget Law contained in Title 7, Chapter 6, Part 42 of the Montana Code Annotated, the Town Council of Stevensville has held hearings and passed resolutions as applicable under the above sections.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by this Town Council that the Budget be approved and adopted, and that checks/warrants be issued in accordance with laws appertaining thereto.

IT IS HEREBY MOVED, SECONDED AND CARRIED by the Town Council that "this resolution be adopted" for fiscal year 2003-2004 (Attachment A); and

WHEREAS, the above resolution adopting the budget was passed by the Town Council; and

WHEREAS, the Municipal Budget Law contained in Title 7, Chapter 6, Part 42 of the Montana Code Annotated, provide for the fixing of various tax levies to raise funds sufficient to meet said expenditures authorized in the budget; and

WHEREAS, the Montana Department of Revenue is required to certify to the Town Council the value of a mill for the Town of Stevensville under Section 15-10-202, MCA; and

WHEREAS, the Montana Department of Revenue has not provided the Town of Stevensville with a certified value of a mill in the Town of Stevensville; and

WHEREAS, without the certified millage for the Town of Stevensville, it is not possible to establish the precise number of mills which must be levied to fund the final Town Budget; and

WHEREAS, the best estimate of the value of a mill Town-wide is \$ 1919⁰⁰; and

WHEREAS, such estimate may be either high or low,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the final Town Budget is set out in the attachments be hereby adopted as the final budget subject to the conditions set forth below.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by this Town Council that "the levies as detailed below be fixed and adopted" for the fiscal year 2003-2004, based on the value of a mill of \$ 19.90 town-wide, subject to the conditions that if the certified millage is either higher or lower than estimated, the budget will be proportionally raised or lowered.

Dated this 8 day of September, 2003.

Town Council

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Councilperson

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Councilperson

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Councilperson

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